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Application of: Bermudes *et al.*

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated
May 28, 2002 be extended for a period of 2 months from May 28, 2002 up to and including
August 28, 2002.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$400.00. Please charge the required
fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

Date

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